

**APPENDIX A
DETERMINATION OF ASPHALT CONTENT
BY CALCULATION FROM MAXIMUM SPECIFIC GRAVITY**

PROJECT NO. _____
COUNTY _____
CONTRACTOR _____
MIX TYPE _____

SAMPLE ID. _____
TEST NO. _____
DATE _____
MIX DESIGN # _____

CALCULATION OF AGGREGATE EFFECTIVE SPECIFIC GRAVITY

% Asphalt.....(Measurements from tank stick, meter, or nuclear method)..... 1) _____
Asphalt Specific Gravity..... 2) _____
100 - % Asph.(100 - line 1)..... 3) _____
% Asph / Asphalt Specific Gravity.....(line 1 / line 2)..... 4) _____
Avg. Max. Sp. Gr. =
$$\frac{(\text{sample 1} + \text{sample 2} + \text{sample 3})}{3}$$
 = 5) _____
100 / Avg. Max. Sp. Gr.(100 / line 5).....(vol. of Mixture)..... 6) _____
Vol. Mixture - Asph. Vol.....(line 6 - line 4)..... 7) _____
Effective Sp. Gr. of Aggregate.....(line 3 / line 7)..... 8) _____

CALCULATION OF PERCENT ASPHALT

Max Sp. Gr.....(from individual max. Sp. Gr. test)..... 9) _____
Effective Sp. Gr. Agg. X Asph. Sp. Gr. (line 8 x line 2)..... 10) _____
Max. Sp. Gr. X Asph. Sp. Gr.(line 9 x line 2)..... 11) _____
Effective Sp. Gr. Agg. X Max. Sp. Gr.(line 8 x line 9)..... 12) _____
(Eff. Sp. Gr. Agg. X Asph. Sp. Gr.) - (Max. Sp. Gr. X Asph. Sp. Gr.)....
.....(line 10 - line 11)..... 13) _____
(Eff. Sp. Gr. Agg. X Max. Sp. Gr.) - (Max. Sp. Gr. X Asph. Sp. Gr.)....
.....(line 12 - line 11)..... 14) _____
(line 13 / line 14)..... 15) _____
% Asphalt by Calculation(100 X line 15)..... 16) _____